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REQUEST**FOR****CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Application Number 09/505,318**Filing Date** 02/16/2000**First Named Inventor** Darryl Hymel**Art Unit** 2142**Examiner Name** Vu, Thong, H.**Attorney Docket Number** 6065-75339**This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application**

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